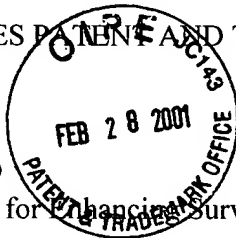


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action (paper 13) mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 1, 2000.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Substitute specification page 1 is attached hereto. Please substitute the substitute specification page (page 1) for the specification page 1 presently of record. The following is a marked up copy of the specification amendment to facilitate the Examiner's review.

Please delete the section entitled, "Related Applications" and insert the following therefor:

Related Applications

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This application claims priority under 35 USC §119(e) from U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/102,740, filed on October 2, 1998, now abandoned, entitled AKT COMPOSITIONS FOR ENHANCING SURVIVAL OF CELLS. The contents of the provisional application are hereby expressly incorporated by reference. --

Substitute pages 6 and 6A are also attached hereto. Please substitute the substitute specification pages (page 6 and 6A) for the specification page 6 presently of record. The following is a marked up copy of the specification amendments to facilitate the Examiner's review.



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- ☒ Response to Office Action
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